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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UN, XF

SUBJ: MIDDLE EAST: PRISONER EXCHANGE

1. ACCORDING TO ASYG URQUHART EGYPTIAN GEN GAMASY TOLD GEN SIILASVUO TODAY THAT HE EXPECTED POW EXCHANGE TO BE COMPLETED NOV 22. ALSO SAID HE FEARS THAT INEFFICIENCY ON EGYPTIAN SIDE MAY CAUSE COMPLETION SIMULTANEOUS EXCHANGE TO TAKE ANOTHER 24 HOURS. HE WANTED SIILASVUO TO KNOW THAT IF THEY FAILED TO MEET NOV 22 DEADLINE IT WAS NOT DELIBERATE.

2. IN CONTRAST TO PREVIOUS PARA GAMASY THEN SAID HE FEARS WHEN POW EXCHANGE IS COMPLETED THAT ISRAELIS WILL TAKE HARDER LINE, POSSIBLY CUTTING SUEZ-CAIRO ROAD.

3. SIILASVUO ATTEMPTED REASSURE HIM STATING THAT UN WOULD DO ALL IT COULD TO MAKE SURE THAT ALL ASPECTS NOV 11 AGREEMENT RESPECTED BY BOTH PARTIES.
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